

Washington State Productivity Board

Public Service Recognition Week

What is PSRW?

- A nationally recognized week to pay tribute to public service professionals.
- Encourage excellence and esprit de corps in government.
- Promote interest in public service careers.
- Inform citizens about the services public employees provide.
- Celebrated during the first week of May each year.

PSRW in Washington



Secretary of State Sam Reed

- Governor Lowry charged the Productivity Board with administering PSRW for Washington.
- The Board promotes the event and all activities.

Committees

- Extra Mile Award
- Ralph Munro Longevity Award
- Area Celebration Ceremonies

Extra Mile Award

- Employees nominate co-workers for going above and beyond.
- Evaluates and scores, selecting the top 10-15 nominees.
- Coordinates award presentations.



2006 Spokane Event – Extra Mile Award Winner
Edith Vance

“Ralph Munro” Longevity Award

- Works with DOP to obtain a statewide list of employees who have at least 40 years of service.
- Verifies length of service.
- Recipients with 40, 45, and 50+ years of service are recognized.



2006 Tri-Cities - Longevity Award Winner
Ron Harris

Celebration Committees

- Determines date, time and location of celebration.
- Coordinates parking, food, and agency display booths.
- Schedules participation by elected officials, agency heads and employees.
- Coordinates set up and clean up.



Military Department

2006 Olympia Event



DOC Color Guard



General Administration and Lottery Booths



Department of Natural Resources Booth



Department of Health Mascot

2006 Tri-Cities Event



Key Note speaker WSP Chief Batiste, Trooper, and Quartet



Department of Health booth



BBQ Line

2006 Spokane Event



Display Tables



Spokane Committee



Spokane Indians Mascot

2006 Vancouver Event



Registration



Department of Transportation Booth



Washington State Patrol Awards